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(e) Owners or operators are not required to prepare a startup, shutdown, and malfunction plan for any facility where all of the affected sources meet the exemption criteria specified in \$63.764(e), or for any facility that is not located within a UA plus offset and UC boundary.

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§ 63.763 [Reserved]

§ 63.764 General standards.

- (a) Table 2 of this subpart specifies the provisions of subpart A (General Provisions) of this part that apply and those that do not apply to owners and operators of affected sources subject to this subpart.
- (b) All reports required under this subpart shall be sent to the Administrator at the appropriate address listed in §63.13. Reports may be submitted on electronic media.
- (c) Except as specified in paragraph (e) of this section, the owner or operator of an affected source located at an existing or new major source of HAP emissions shall comply with the standards in this subpart as specified in paragraphs (c)(1) through (3) of this section.
- (1) For each glycol dehydration unit process vent subject to this subpart, the owner or operator shall comply with the requirements specified in paragraphs (c)(1)(i) through (iii) of this section.
- (i) The owner or operator shall comply with the control requirements for glycol dehydration unit process vents specified in §63.765;
- (ii) The owner or operator shall comply with the monitoring requirements specified in §63.773; and
- (iii) The owner or operator shall comply with the recordkeeping and reporting requirements specified in §§ 63.774 and 63.775.
- (2) For each storage vessel with the potential for flash emissions subject to this subpart, the owner or operator shall comply with the requirements specified in paragraphs (c)(2)(i) through (iii) of this section.
- (i) The control requirements for storage vessels specified in §63.766;

- (ii) The monitoring requirements specified in §63.773; and
- (iii) The recordkeeping and reporting requirements specified in §§ 63.774 and 63.775.
- (3) For ancillary equipment (as defined in §63.761) and compressors at a natural gas processing plant subject to this subpart, the owner or operator shall comply with the requirements for equipment leaks specified in §63.769.
- (d) Except as specified in paragraph (e)(1) of this section, the owner or operator of an affected source located at an existing or new area source of HAP emissions shall comply with the applicable standards specified in paragraph (d) of this section.
- (1) Each owner or operator of an area source located within an UA plus offset and UC boundary (as defined in §63.761) shall comply with the provisions specified in paragraphs (d)(1)(i) through (iii) of this section.
- (i) The control requirements for glycol dehydration unit process vents specified in §63.765;
- (ii) The monitoring requirements specified in §63.773; and
- (iii) The recordkeeping and reporting requirements specified in §§ 63.774 and 63.775.
- (2) Each owner or operator of an area source not located in a UA plus offset and UC boundary (as defined in §63.761) shall comply with paragraphs (d)(2)(i) through (iii) of this section.
- (i) Determine the optimum glycol circulation rate using the following equation:

$$L_{OPT} = 1.15*3.0 \frac{\text{galTEG}}{\text{lb H}_2\text{O}} * \left(\frac{\text{F*(I-O)}}{24 \text{ hr/day}}\right)$$

Where:

 L_{OPT} = Optimal circulation rate, gal/hr. F = Gas flowrate (MMSCF/D).

I = Inlet water content (lb/MMSCF).

O = Outlet water content (lb/MMSCF). 3.0 = The industry accepted rule of thumb for

- 3.0 = The industry accepted rule of thumb for a TEG-to water ratio (gal TEG/lb H_2O).
- 1.15 = Adjustment factor included for a margin of safety.
- (ii) Operate the TEG dehydration unit such that the actual glycol circulation rate does not exceed the optimum glycol circulation rate determined in accordance with paragraph

(d)(2)(i) of this section. If the TEG dehydration unit is unable to meet the sales gas specification for moisture content using the glycol circulation rate determined in accordance with paragraph (d)(2)(i), the owner or operator must calculate an alternate circulation rate using GRI-GLYCalcTM, Version 3.0 or higher. The owner or operator must document why the TEG dehydration unit must be operated using the alternate circulation rate and submit this documentation with the initial notification in accordance with §63.775(c)(7).

- (iii) Maintain a record of the determination specified in paragraph (d)(2)(ii) in accordance with the requirements in §63.774(f) and submit the Initial Notification in accordance with the requirements in §63.775(c)(7). If operating conditions change and a modification to the optimum glycol circulation rate is required, the owner or operator shall prepare a new determination in accordance with paragraph (d)(2)(i) or (ii) of this section and submit the information specified under §63.775(c)(7)(ii) through (v).
- (e) Exemptions. (1) The owner or operator is exempt from the requirements of paragraph (c)(1) and (d) of this section if the criteria listed in paragraph (e)(1)(i) or (ii) of this section are met, except that the records of the determination of these criteria must be maintained as required in §63.774(d)(1).
- (i) The actual annual average flowrate of natural gas to the glycol dehydration unit is less than 85 thousand standard cubic meters per day, as determined by the procedures specified in §63.772(b)(1) of this subpart; or
- (ii) The actual average emissions of benzene from the glycol dehydration unit process vent to the atmosphere are less than 0.90 megagram per year, as determined by the procedures specified in §63.772(b)(2) of this subpart.
- (2) The owner or operator is exempt from the requirements of paragraph (c)(3) of this section for ancillary equipment (as defined in §63.761) and compressors at a natural gas processing plant subject to this subpart if the criteria listed in paragraph (e)(2)(i) or (ii) of this section are met, except that the records of the determination

of these criteria must be maintained as required in §63.774(d)(2).

- (i) Any ancillary equipment and compressors that contain or contact a fluid (liquid or gas) must have a total VHAP concentration less than 10 percent by weight, as determined by the procedures specified in §63.772(a); or
- (ii) That ancillary equipment and compressors must operate in VHAP service less than 300 hours per calendar year.
- (f) Each owner or operator of a major HAP source subject to this subpart is required to apply for a 40 CFR part 70 or part 71 operating permit from the appropriate permitting authority. If the Administrator has approved a State operating permit program under 40 CFR part 70, the permit shall be obtained from the State authority. If a State operating permit program has not been approved, the owner or operator of a source shall apply to the EPA Regional Office pursuant to 40 CFR part 71.

(g)-(h) [Reserved]

(i) In all cases where the provisions of this subpart require an owner or operator to repair leaks by a specified time after the leak is detected, it is a violation of this standard to fail to take action to repair the leak(s) within the specified time. If action is taken to repair the leak(s) within the specified time, failure of that action to successfully repair the leak(s) is not a violation of this standard. However, if the repairs are unsuccessful, a leak is detected and the owner or operator shall take further action as required by the applicable provisions of this subpart.

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§63.765 Glycol dehydration unit process vent standards.

(a) This section applies to each glycol dehydration unit subject to this subpart with an actual annual average natural gas flowrate equal to or greater than 85 thousand standard cubic meters per day and with actual average benzene glycol dehydration unit process vent emissions equal to or greater than 0.90 megagrams per year, that must be controlled for HAP emissions as specified in either paragraph (c)(1)(i) or paragraph (d)(1)(i) of §63.764.